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For: SYSTEM FOR EQUILIBRATING AN ENERGY STORAGE DEVICE

**RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated July 21, 2009 and the Office Action dated October 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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